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MINISTRY OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE

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IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi, the 22nd November, 1963

SUB.—Indo-Afghan Trade re-export of dry fruits after processing.

No. 145-ITC(PN)/63.—Importers of dry fruits from Afghanistan are hereby informed that with effect from the date on which the policy regarding import of dry fruits under the new agreement with Afghanistan is announced, permits for import of dry fruits from Afghanistan will be issued to approved importers registered under this scheme, subject, *inter-alia*, to the following conditions:—

The importer shall effect re-export of 20 per cent of the dry fruits in a processed form to any country other than Iran, Iraq, Afghanistan, Nepal, Bhutan and Sikkim, within six months from the date of import. The aforesaid 20 per cent. relates to the value of the imports and an importer will be free to re-export within this value any item/items of processed dry fruits of his choice.

2. The "approved importers" of dry fruits from Afghanistan will be required to furnish a bond to the Licensing Authority in a prescribed form, undertaking to effect the required re-export. The bond will be accompanied with a bank guarantee for an amount equivalent to the value of the re-export obligation.

3. Non-fulfilment of re-export obligation on the part of any importer will render him liable to deregistration from the list of approved importers. A monthly statement of exports in the enclosed form should be submitted by all approved importers to the Licensing Authority concerned.

4. The processed dry fruits exported in terms of para 1 above will also be eligible for consideration for the appropriate import entitlement allowed under the export promotion scheme for processed foods. The provision of Sub-paras 8.1, 8.3 and 8.4, of para 8 of the Appendix 23 to the Red Book for April, 1963—March, 1964, will be applicable to the export of processed dry fruits.

5. This scheme is being introduced without prejudice to any other terms and conditions that may be prescribed for regulation of imports of dry fruits etc., from Afghanistan.

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Proforma for submission of returns relating to re-export of dry fruits after processing

Name and address of the firm.	Value of dry fruits imported against the firm's licences imported under the new agreement with Afghanistan.	Varieties of dry fruits	No. & Date of relevant permits.	Value of Processed dry fruits re-exported.	Variety of dry fruits re-exported.	Country to which dry fruits re-exported.	Reference documents relating to Col. 6.
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